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Case Docket No. FLEXFT.182A

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In re application of : Van L. Phillips  
App. No. : 09/586,666  
Filed : June 1, 2000  
For : UNIVERSAL PROSTHESIS  
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Examiner : Unknown  
Art Unit : 3738

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ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231  
ATTENTION: APPLICATION BRANCH

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a preliminary amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

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## CLAIMS AS FILED

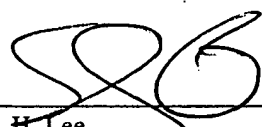
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
Total Claims	55 —	20	= 35 x	\$ 9	= \$315
Independent Claims	5 —	3	= 2 x	\$40	= \$ 80
If application has been amended to contain multiple dependent claim(s), then add				\$135	= \$ 0
Time Extension Fee					\$ 0
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$395

- (X) A small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.

Also enclosed are the following:

- (X) An Information Disclosure Statement.  
(X) A PTO Form 1449 with thirty-four (34) references.  
(X) A Preliminary Amendment in seven (7) pages.

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- (X) A check in the amount of \$395.
- (X) Return prepaid postcard.
- (X) The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Account No. 11-1410. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.



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